

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

DAVID S. VEATCH,	)	Case No. C11-1838-JCC
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Plaintiff,	)	REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
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v.	)	
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MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of	)	
Social Security,	)	
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Defendant.	)	
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This matter comes before the Court upon plaintiff's July 13, 2012 unopposed motion for attorney's fees, costs, and expenses pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412, and 28 U.S.C. § 1920. Dkt. 23. The Court RECOMMENDS that the plaintiff's motion, Dkt. 23, be GRANTED, and that the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA") attorney's fees of \$4,999.00, costs of \$5.10, and expenses in the amount of \$21.49 be awarded pursuant to *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 552 U.S. 1193, 130 S. Ct. 2521, 177 L. Ed. 2d 91 (2010), and 28 U.S.C. § 1920. If it is determined that the plaintiff's EAJA fees are not subject to any offset allowed under the U.S. Department of Treasury's offset program, then the check for the EAJA fees totaling \$5,025.29 should be made payable directly to the plaintiff's counsel at the law office of Steven

1 M. Robey, pursuant to the plaintiff's assignment of EAJA fees to counsel. A proposed order  
2 accompanies this Report and Recommendation.

3 DATED this 20th day of August, 2012.

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5 JAMES P. DONOHUE  
6 United States Magistrate Judge  
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